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		First Named Inventor	Joel S. Douglas
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1254	1,480	2254	740	Extension for reply within fourth month
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1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding
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Joel S. Douglas et al.) Before the Examiner
Application No. 10/612,852) Unassigned
Filed July 3, 2003)
METHODS AND APPARATUS)
FOR SAMPLING AND)
ANALYZING BODY FLUID)

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